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Dear Sir.

I enclose to you a draft for nine hundred and sixty dollars deducting discount $4.78 on account of Money paid me by Mr Powell.

I knew not at first whether it would be best to receive the money of him unless the whole could be paid, but he said it was impossible to do this immediately and as you Sir expressed a wish in your letter to receive the money as soon as convenient, I concluded to receive and transmit it without delay.

With regard to the agency which My Father exercised in your favour. I am unable to make out a statement immediately, nor can I by reason of the unsettled condition of our affairs transmit you any money at this time without great inconvenience. In the course of a few weeks however, I will transmit a statement as exact as possible of the state of the Matter. I trust however you will not be disappointed when I say that the land has been very unprofitable for several years past, as My Father was unable to rent it for Money, and could only receive from parts of it the produce as it was rented upon shares. Will you have the goodness to inform me how minute was the statement which was made in 1826, and how explicit you wish the next one to be?—

Yours
With Respect
Othniel S Williams

Mr Edward Robinson—
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